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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Re: Application of JAMES WILLIAM CASPER
Serial No.: 09/868,805
Filed: June 21, 2001
For: COATING COMPOSITION

PATENT APPLICATION

Group Art Unit 1762

Examiner: W.P. FLETCHER III

Transmitted herewith for filing are the original and two copies of an Substitute Appeal Brief supplied in response to Notification of Non-Compliance with 37 CFR 1.192(c), mailing date June 20, 2003, regarding the above-identified application.

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